

Louisiana Secretary of State Elections Division Schedule of 2004 Elections

| Date of Election | JAN 17 | MAR 9 | APR 17 | JUL 17 | SEP 18* | NOV 2 | DEC 4 |
|------------------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Type of Election | Propositions Only | Presidential Preference and Municipal Primary | Municipal General | Propositions Only | Open Primary | General/ Presidential/ Congressional | Congressional Run-Off/Tie |
| Deadline: Specials | n/a | 12/22 2003 | n/a | n/a | 7/2 2004 | n/a | n/a |
| Deadline: Propositions | 12/2 2003 | 12/29 2003 | 3/2 2004 | 6/1 2004 | 7/9 2004 | 9/17 2004 | n/a |
| Qualifying Dates | n/a | 1/28-30 2004 | n/a | n/a | 8/4-6 2004** | 8/4-6 2004** | n/a |
| Last Day to Register to Vote | 12/17/03 | 2/9/04 | 3/17/04 | 6/16/04 | 8/18/04 | 10/4/04 | 11/3/04 |
| Absentee Voting Begins | 1/5/03 | 2/26/04 | 4/5/04 | 7/6/04 | 9/7/04 | 10/21/04 | 11/22/04 |
| Absentee Voting Ends | 1/10/03 12:00 PM | 3/2/04 4:30 PM | 4/10/04 4:30 PM | 7/10/04 12:00 PM | 9/11/04 4:30 PM | 10/26/04 4:30 PM | 11/27/04 4:30 PM |

* Advanced two weeks in accordance with R.S. 18:402 (G).

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PRESIDENTIAL QUALIFYING

Democratic/Republican presidential candidates for Presidential Preference Primary qualifying

Begins: 1/28 2004 Ends: 1/30 2004

Independent presidential candidates for Presidential General qualifying

Begins: 8/3 2004 Ends: 9/7 2004